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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

County Court Votes To Issue \$95,000 of Bonds for Contruction of Roads.

At the special session of the County Court held Monday, Sept. 6, the court voted to issue \$95,000 worth of bonds for the purpose of building a system of highways and bridges thruout the county. This amount will be supplemented by a similar amount from the State and Federal Government, which will make a total of \$285,000 that the county will receive for road building.

Judge J. M. Gardenhire, of Carthage, addressed the court in the interest of the bonds, and for an hour he held the undivided attention of the large audience that had assembled in the county court room. His address was logical, and teemed with mountains of facts as to the necessity of issuing bonds and building a system of highways thruout the county.

W. A. Overton, of the 9th district, was the only member of the court voting against the bonds. In explaining his vote, Mr. Overton stated his constituents had requested him to vote against the bonds. Four Justice of Peace, A. M. Ballard and W. A. Kinnard, of the 10th district, S. A. Ragland, of 7th district, and B. S. Stone, of 13th district did not vote. Those voting for the bonds were: J. M. Chaffin and W. B. Flynn, 1st district; B. C. Jones and J. E. Richmond, 2nd district; M. H. Dycus, 3rd district; W. S. Hance and B. S. Carver, 4th district; S. S. Carver and John L. Clemons, 5th district; A. J. Pharris and Charlie Taylor, 6th district; O. L. Scantland and T. B. Smith, 8th district; B. C. Anderson and W. A. Jones, 11th district; J. W. Chaffin and J. B. Billingsley, 12th district; E. F. McCain, 13th district; Dave Hall and H. B. Dodson, 15th district. The citizens and taxpayers living in the districts represented by these Justice of Peace were strongly in favor of the bonds, which is conclusive that three-fourths of the citizens in the county are progressive and favor public improvements.

The following is the resolution adopted by the court relative to the bonds:

Be it resolved by the County Court of Jackson County, in quarterly session assembled, a majority and quorum of said court being present and voting in the affirmative, That Jackson County hereby agrees to issue ninety-five thousand dollars (\$90,000) five per cent, interest bearing, twenty year bonds, for the purpose of aiding in the construction of the following highways leading between County seats:

1. A highway from Gainesboro to the Putnam County line, in the direction of Cookeville.

2. A highway leading from Gainesboro to the Clay County line, in the direction of Celina.

2. A highway leading from Gainesboro to the Smith County line, in the direction of Carthage.

4. A highway leading from from Gainesboro to the Overton County line, in the direction of Livingston.

5. A highway leading from Gainesboro to the Macon County line, in the direction of Lafayette.

PROVIDED: That the above proposition is accepted by the

State Highway Commission, and said roads are designated by said commission as State highways, and the State and National Government will furnish the sum of not exceeding One hundred and ninety thousand dollars (\$190,000) for the construction of said roads.

In other words, it is hereby agreed by Jackson County through its legally authorized authority, to pay for the construction of one-third of said above mentioned highways, provided the other two-thirds is paid by the National Government and State Government, in accordance with the present existing regulations relative to the constructions and maintainance of public highways.

The following resolution was also adopted:

WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States has under way the improvement of the Cumberland River by a system of locks and dams so as to render it navigable the year around by boats of ordinary tonnage, in which improvement several locks and dams have already been built and are now in successful operation both in the upper and lower river, and

WHEREAS, the said Congress by its River and Harbor Act, approved by the President on March 2, 1919, carried an appropriation for the acquisition of the side and construction of Lot No. 8 of the Up River System, located in Smith County, Tennessee, but annexed thereto a condition precedent, viz: That before such lock or locks and dams are constructed, the State, county or other local authorities, shall bind themselves to protect the United States against any and all claims for damages due to overflow as provided in Rivers and Harbors Committee Document, Numbered 10, Sixty Third Congress, and also that assurances satisfactory to the Secretary of War shall be given that local interest will provide sufficient areas of water front and suitable water terminals, and:

WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of Tennessee, responsive to the aforesaid requirements and to meet the conditions imposed by Congress, passed an Act April 16, 1919, and which was approved by the Governor on the same date, being Chapter 190 of the Acts of the General Assembly of 1919, authorized and empowered the County Courts of the respective counties in which such locks and dams may be built or damages inflicted to provide for and pay any and all damages the construction and maintainance of said locks and dams may occasion to produce, and

WHEREAS, the canalization of the Cumberland River, long under way and now revived in the Upper River by the appropriation of \$340,000, in the River and Harbor Act of 1919 aforesaid for the building of Lock No. 8, will when completed be of great benefit to our section of the country, particularly to our county of Jackson, State of Tennessee,

NOW, THEREFORE, in order to comply with the conditions and terms upon which said appropriation has been made for Lock No. 8 in the Cumberland River, or other locks and dams hereafter provided.

Be it therefore resolved by the County Court of Jackson County State of Tennessee, that for and in consideration of the premises

Children's Day To Be Observed by Indian Creek Sunday-school Sept., 14.

Next Sunday, Sept. 14, at 9 a. m., has been set for Children's Day on Indian Creek. For some time the whole community has been meeting and practicing songs, recitations, drills and dialogues. Judging from the spirit shown by Indian Creek folks this summer a great event is anticipated. Dinner will be spread on the ground. Everyone coming is expected to bring a lunch. Sunday School will be held in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, after which Bro. Adams will preach.

Although this is a newly organized Sunday School, under the able leadership of Supt. A. M. Forkum, the school has a record attendance, averaging over 100 for each Sunday.

The people at Indian Creek are noted for their excellent singing. Now that the organ has come, the whole creek reverberates with praises sang to His glory.

The night preceeding, Saturday, Sept. 13, Bro. Adams and helpers will begin a protracted meeting at Indian Creek. Come early to all these meetings and help with the song service. Everyone is welcome.

Government to Pay Out Big Sum in Interest.

The United States Government is going to pay \$2,295,050.81 to residents of the Sixth Federal Reserve District on September 15th. That is the sum represented by the semi-annual interest coupons on Liberty Bond of the third issue held by residents of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee.

Total sales of Third Liberty Loan Bonds in the Sixth District amounted to \$137,649,450 of which, bankers declared yesterday, an overwhelming proportion is still in the hands of the original buyers. The annual interest return at four and a quarter percent amounts to \$4,509,101.62, of which the sum to be paid out September 15th is one half, —\$2,295,050.81.

That interest recipients should reinvest their Third Liberty Loan interest in War Savings Stamps so that it may be safe and at the

aforesaid and the construction of Lock No. 8, etc., and any other lock or locks that may be located in said County of Jackson and necessary to canalize the the river aforesaid, this county of Jackson and State of Tennessee, hereby obligates and binds itself to assume and pay any and all flowage damage to the lands and roads, if any, caused by and arising from the construction and operation of said lock and dam No. 8, as aforesaid or other locks as aforesaid, and will further hold the United States harmless against any and all such damage or damages to the lands and roads arising from overflow caused by the construction of said locks as aforesaid; and be it further Resolved that this Court also guarantee and obligates itself that it will provide sufficient areas of water front and suitable water terminals at all towns or landings in said County adequate for the traffic, and that the same shall be open to the public equally and on terms satisfactory to the Secretary of War.

same time may increase at the rate of four percent compounded quarterly is the advice sent out by the Treasury Department through Silas W. Davis, Director of the Sixth District War Savings Organization. With War Savings Stamps selling at \$4.20 in September, the semi-annual interest on two \$100 bonds will be more than enough to buy a War Savings Stamp.

"Reinvestment of interest in War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates will be of surpassing help to the Government for it will return to them in the form of new loans and huge interest sums that must be paid out on the Third Liberty Loan," said Mr. Davis. "The nation must pay out, in all Federal Reserve Districts, a total of \$88,750,983.05 interest on the Third Loan, September 15th. To have this returned through War Savings Stamps investments will be a tremendous aid, the more so in view of the fact that there are five great national loans outstanding on which interest is paid twice a year. In ten months of the twelve must the Government meet public debt disbursements approaching \$100,000,000."

The District Director added that War Savings Stamps are now available in every city, town and hamlet in the Sixth Federal Reserve District. Those owning enough bonds to yield a considerable sum in half yearly interest will find Treasury Savings Certificates of the \$100 and \$1000 denominations at banks and trust companies or at postoffices. These securities increase in value monthly and cannot by any possibility loose in value. September cost or \$100 certificates are \$84 and the \$1000 denominations \$840.

Prominent Farmers Elected Justice of the Peace.

In a special election held here last Thursday, G. L. Dudley, one of the leading farmers of the county was elected Justice of the Peace for the first district to fill out the unexpired term of B. C. Bntler, resigned. Mr. Dudley was unopposed for election.

In the fourteenth district, O. G. Fox, another leading and progressive farmer, was elected Justice of the Peace without opposition, to fill out the vacancy caused by the death of B. D. Ramsey.

New Recorder Elected.

At a meeting of the new board of Aldermen held last week, H. Grady Gore was elected Recorder for the town. Mr. Gore is well qualified for the place, being one of the leading attorneys of Gainesboro, and well versed in all laws. You can rest assured that justice will be meted out to those who are arraigned before him, white or black, rich or poor, and that the welfare of our town will be looked after with much care.

New Implement House.

Work on the implement house, which is being constructed by Quarles & McCawley Co., on the lot recently purchased of Dr. H. P. Doffis is progressing nicely. The building will be of wood structure 50x100 feet. L. C. Quarles, who has charge of the construction contemplates having it completed by October 1.

Pate Bros. & Co., and Luke Dennis Sells Stock of Goods—Will be one Firm.

Pate Bros. & Co., composed of S. L. Pate and two sons, A. M. and I. B. Pate, who carry a general line of merchandise, and Luke Dennis, one of the leading groccymen of the town, have sold their entire stock of goods to E. L. Dudley, G. B. Settle, R. A. Montgomery and Jona S. Raggio.

These progressive young business men will take possession the middle of November, when the two stores that occupy the first floor of the L. C. Quarles block on the North side of the square will be conducted under one head. The new firm will handle a general line of merchandise, furniture, hardware and a complete line of groceries.

Mr. Dudley is now with Quarles & McCawley Co., which position he has held several years. Mr. Settle, who holds a very responsible position with the government, has heretofore conducted a grocery store for many years. J. S. Raggio, was for a number of years a member of the enterprising firm of McDearman Stafford Co., but who for the past few years has resided on a farm at North Springs. R. A. Montgomery is one of the leading live stock dealers of the county and possesses fine business qualities. All parties are well known, and have an unlimited number of friends who wish them success. The name of the new firm has not yet been decided on.

The two retiring firms have been in business for several years, and thru close application to business have made a success in their special lines.

Primary Honor Roll.

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Sallie Keene Gist.

Marie Gentry.

Louise Roberts.

Hazel Roark.

Hayden Burris.

Ernest Reeves.

John Hampton Vernon.

Fowler Young.

Jewel Dixon.

Ruth Reeves.

Mary Ferguson Gaines.

Anna Clay Raines.

Christine Roberts.

Anna Lee Smith.

Willie Dudley.

Wilburn Smith.

Card of Thanks.

Through the columns of the Sentinel we desire to return our warmest thanks to the citizens of this community for kindness and sympathy extended to us during the protracted sickness of our father and husband. While our home now has a vacant chair, yet as we reflect upon the many deeds of sympathy and love rendered by the citizens of our town and county, it gives a silver lining to the dark cloud left behind. To all we extend our sincere thanks.

Mrs. Nettie Montgomery,
R. A. Montgomery,
M. V. Montgomery.

Hog Cholera.

M. Jacobs, state veterinarian writing in the Jackson County

Sentinel gives this advice with reference to hog raising.

It may seem to some that the subject of hog cholera has become more or less threadbare, but if we consider the magnitude of this great question from its various angles it still looms up as one of our most important live stock problems. Its relationship to some phrases of economic food production has appeared distressingly evident during the past few years while the food situation of the world has been so acute. Even though an unlimited amount of material has been written on hog cholera, it offers more today for our serious consideration than ever before.

At present the farmer or feeder has a better opportunity to familiarize himself with latest developments and at the same time to make possible the assistance which is knocking at his door. In every state something is being done toward the control and eradication of infectious swine diseases. Most of this, and naturally so, is being directed to hog cholera. Much progress has already been made, for there are thousands of instances where hog raising is now a success, when only a few years ago the outcome of such activities was exceedingly doubtful on account of the ever lurking hog cholera infection.

Unfortunately, there are still in our midst people of otherwise good intelligence who refuse to accept the well established fact that hog cholera is a contagious disease, and that the sick hog is the source from which this highly fatal disease is spread. By maintaining such an attitude a person becomes a menace not only to his own hog raising activities, but to those of his neighbor as well. Several years of experience in hog cholera control educational work have demonstrated how easy it is to find in almost every community people clinging to such an antagonistic idea. This, however, should not be discouraging, for similar obstacles are met with in practically every progressive undertaking. But as an aid for the future in an endeavor to overcome hog cholera, it is important that faulty conceptions on the part of the hog owner himself be overcome; It is not the purpose of this article to go into details regarding the various phases of hog cholera, as the subject will be dealt with again later. It is intended here to leave that one thought with the reader, the danger from the sick hog, and when this principle is accepted and observed the first important step in hog cholera control has been accomplished.

"IT MUST HAVE BEEN DEAD AT LEAST 6 MONTHS BUT DIDN'T SMELL."

"Saw a big rat in our cellar last Fall," writes Mrs. Joanny, "and bought 25c cake of RAT-SNAP, broke it up into small pieces. Last week while moving we came across the dead rat. Must have been dead six months, didn't smell. RAT-SNAP is wonderful." Three sizes, 25c, 50c \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by M. P. Bailey, Quarles & McCawley, Anderson & Haile, Gainesboro.

NOTICE—About the last of July a black and white spotted sow, weighing about 200 pounds, was taken out of my corn field and put up. The owner can get same by paying feed bill, damage and for this advertisement.

Mrs. J. D. Fox, Gainesboro R-3.